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Sir:

This Amendment After Final Rejection is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 17, 2003 in the above-identified application.

An extension of time for filing a Notice of Appeal from the Final Office Action dated June 17, 2003, is respectfully requested. A Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently with this amendment.